









OUR LATE WARDEN—R. V. HARVEY, ESQ., M. A. (Cantab)

Captain in 88th Fusiliers (Victoria)  
Commanding No. 3 Co., VIIth Battalion Canadian Expeditionary Force,

Who was wounded and taken prisoner at the battle of Langemarck,  
April 24th, 1915. He died in hospital at Hofgeismar,  
Nr. Cassel, Germany, on May 8th, 1915

### **STOP PRESS NEWS.**

We grieve to announce the death of our Warden.

It is officially reported that he died from the result of his wounds.

Captain Newberry of Victoria, who was in the same hospital at Hofgeismar, Nr. Cassel, writes that Captain Harvey was buried with military honours befitting his rank, and that as many British prisoners as could walk attended the funeral. It is indeed sad news.

On another page will be found an account of the memorial service held for our late Warden.

We have been hoping that it would not be necessary to publish it.

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### **R.M.C. Results**

F. H. Jones.....	2nd place in Canada
K. Hodson.....	11th place in Canada
D. Stanley.....	40th place in Canada



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EDITORIAL.

These are indeed stirring times. The great war, with its innumerable casualties, of course, is uppermost in our minds.

It is almost a year since the struggle began, and though step by step we are gaining the upper hand, who can foretell when the end will come?

Our men from this Province have done nobly, and the Canadians have already earned undying fame by their courage and gallantry. The cost has been very great, but however much we, one and all, feel the losses, we are determined to triumph for the sake of civilization.

We say at whatever cost, and the cost is sometimes more than we can endure. We at this School know what it means to lose our dearest.

We were shocked by the news of the loss of our Warden, Captain Harvey. We grieved and set our teeth to bear this irreparable loss.

Then about two weeks after receiving the sad news, a cable message arrived with the glorious news that Captain Harvey was not killed. He was wounded and a prisoner.

When Mr. Barnacle announced the tidings, a huge cheer went up, the like of which has never before been heard in our Assembly Hall.

"Is it possible?" "How magnificent." Congratulations poured in all day. Of course we regret that our gallant Warden has been wounded and has to pass long, laborious days in the enemy's country. We trust he has fallen into the hands of decent folk—if there are any in Germany.

We know he fought bravely, and we are all delighted he has been spared to us.

In this present issue we have endeavored to give a complete list of our old boys who have volunteered for the front. We realize that it is almost impossible to get everyone who has gone forth to do his "bit." We also include the names of old Queen's School boys whom Mr. Harvey had in Vancouver. We are not ashamed of our list. During the last eight years we have had some 550 boys on the School Roll, and ten per cent. of these have answered the call. We conclude with the hope that before our next issue we shall celebrate the end of the war and receive our warriors home again.

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### SCHOOL NOTES.

Arrangements have been made with the Y.M.C.A. whereby our boys may use the swimming bath. The Seniors and Intermediates have Tuesdays, 3:45-4:45. The Juniors go down on Fridays at the same time. A good number, of course, can swim, and we hope it will not be long before every boy in the School can take care of himself in the water. We are greatly indebted to the Y.M.C.A. for this privilege. This most beneficial recreation is already one of the "tit-bits" of the week.

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Owing to the change of route and time-table of the Mount Tolmie car service we have been compelled to commence our day a half-an-hour earlier. Breakfast is now at 7:30 and Chapel at 8:45. The day-boys arrive a minute or two before 9, so that we can really begin work at 9 a.m. This arrangement is very satisfactory during the Summer Term. We hope we shall be able to continue all the year round.

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The following new boys joined us this term:  
Warden's House: Boarder—Kirk.  
Day Boy—Burdick (returned).  
West House: Boarder—King.

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The Tuck Shop is under new management. It is now under the good guidance of Mrs. Howard, whom we are all pleased to welcome back.



The Essay Competition instituted by the St. Catharine's Daughters of the Empire was held on Friday, April 30th. The subject this year was: "Canada's Relations with Foreign Countries." The candidates who entered were: Hodson, Kingham, Kilpatrick, de Berigny and Cuthbert. The first prize of ten dollars was won by R. Hodson, who made 240 marks out of a possible 300; de Berigny came second with 210 marks.

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We are pleased to congratulate Hodson and Challoner on their success in passing the B.C. Surveyor's Preliminary Examination.

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Four of our boys were entered for R.M.C. Entrance this year: Challoner, Hodson, Jones and Stanley. We regret very much that owing to having to undergo an operation Challoner was unable to sit for it, the operation taking place a week before the exam. We are indeed sorry for him; we are sure he would have done well.

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We regret that Helmcken i has been confined to St. Josephs' for the greater part of this term. We are glad to say he is now well on the way to recovery. We think he would have been more than "noticed" at the School Sports.

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Joe de Pencier has been made a monitor. This is the third de Pencier who has held this office.

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The new Tennis Courts for the boys have been opened. Mr. Thomas and a small committee regulate them. The game is very popular, and we hope to have a successful tournament before the term closes.

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We congratulate Finlayson and those assisting on the very successful concert which they gave on Saturday, May 28th. A few interested parents were present, and the concert was much enjoyed.

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We have just heard the results of the recent R.M.C. Examination. Hodson, Jones and Stanley all passed. We offer them our hearty congratulations. We hope they obtained good positions. We are pleased to note that Hartley Holmes, who left us just before Christmas, was amongst the successful candidates.

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### CHAPEL NOTES.

On the evening of March 30th, the last night of the Easter term, the Lord Bishop of the Diocese held a Confirmation at St. Mary's, Oak Bay, at which all the candidates from



the School were present (13 in all), and all except two were confirmed.

L. P. Annance, T. S. Bryn, P. W. Belson, A. G. Beasley, M. J. Evans, R. D. Lennie, C. A. McVittie, J. R. Robertson, C. D. Stanley, W. H. Traeger and C. G. Kilpatrick were those confirmed on this occasion, while J. H. Burne and G. D. Lockyer were confirmed at St. Paul's, Vancouver, on the following Thursday by the Lord Bishop of New Westminster.

Our thanks are due to the Choir, who have so willingly helped to make our service bright, and to Berigny for his help at the daily service in playing the hymns.

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### MEMORIAL SERVICE.

An impressive memorial service for the late Warden, Mr. R. V. Harvey, was held on Monday morning, May 3rd, in the Assembly Hall. Not only the masters and boys were gathered together, but several outside friends joined the company who would do honour to a brave man's memory.

The boy choir rendered very touchingly such well-known hymns as "Brief life is here our portion" and "Nearer, my God, to Thee."

The Rev. W. W. Bolton conducted the office for the departed, which was followed by his paying the following tribute to the gallant Captain:

"He has fallen. That which we dreaded for him, but which he dreaded not, or he would never have gone to the front, has happened.

"That which we hoped and prayed might be spared both his kith and kin and ourselves has come to pass: Mr. Harvey, our Warden and our friend, lies dead on the field of battle.

"It is hard to realize that we shall see no more his quick step through these halls and class-rooms; his yonder study no more the workshop of his busy brain; nor hear his quick word of command in the quad.

"He has fallen; but

"How can man die better  
Than facing fearful odds,  
For the ashes of his Fathers  
And the Temple of his Gods?"

"It is customary to speak only good of the dead, to hide their faults, to oft give, indeed, a false impression. I have never been able to feel that this is right, but in Mr. Harvey's case I have an easy task. We who have known him now these many years may search, as I have done, for failings, but in vain. If I might be allowed to write his epitaph, this is what it would be:

"He was a very perfect gentleman."



"That word, meaning so much, has become hackneyed. It is not blood, nor family, nor ancient lineage that necessarily makes a gentleman, though Mr. Harvey might well boast those, but it is courtesy and honourable dealing and thoughtfulness for others that marks the perfect gentleman.

"Our Warden was courtesy itself; his dealings with the gentler sex, his dealings with his fellows, were delightful to see; even though boys might think him harsh and stern at times, he was never overbearing.

"He respected all and gave to all and each his due.

"He was the soul of honour; his word always kept; straight dealing a very passion with him.

"His thought for others left him no time to think of himself. He was, indeed, a very perfect gentleman.

"And beyond this ground work, all who knew him will allow that his characteristics were a 'love of detail.' Nothing was too small to escape his eye. At the building of these schoolhouses he it was who thought of the little things that escaped the rest of us; little things which have meant so much more comfort for the boys and all the workers.

"In our school lists and cards, in those wonderful and cunning shields in the dining hall, hung there to keep in memory the Old Boys; in the magazine—'The Black and Red'—he gave constant proof of his love and care for details.

"There was also his 'enthusiasm.' What he undertook he put his whole heart into. To him is due the wonderful position the School holds in shooting. Out of his own pocket he gave the miniature covered range, which has meant so much to the boys. And the Cadet Corps, which he loved so well and trained with such ardour, holds to-day the cup for the best Cadet Corps in the Province. He it was, as much as anyone, who worked up the 88th Fusiliers. When the strain came, after the first enthusiasm was over, it was Mr. Harvey who worked harder than ever.

"His 'devotion to the School' was another feature. He gave all his money, all his time, all his thoughts to its welfare. He was deeply interested in the proposed Chapel, which perhaps, after all, though not brought to fruition in his life, yet through his death may become an accomplished fact. For a Chapel we do need to complete the work. We want our very own Temple of God amongst us. We are grateful for our Parish Church, where still many attend for Communion, but nothing can quite compare with our very own House of God.

"Latent, but there all the time, was his 'Patriotism.' When the mailed fist was raised against the weaker nations in Europe, then did 'the Lion of the Sea lift up her ancient crown,' and gave forth such a roar of warning, that it rang



o'er all the world. At once every cub—Canada, Australia, New Zealand, India and every spot of red upon the map—rushed forth from their lairs and joined the chorus.

"Mr. Harvey was one of the first to volunteer. How could we say him nay? We ourselves were useless, but he was so brave, so capable, so strong. We had to let him go, and now he has fallen.

"We know not yet the manner of his death. We do hope indeed that it was not by that inhuman means of warfare, asphyxiation. We trust it was in the soldier's way—by bullet.

"It is easy to picture him when at last the call came, how eagerly he would buckle on his sword, how enthusiastically he would call upon his men, and leading them, dash forward. We may not, dare not, go further: it is sacred ground; but this we know, that he died 'game,' that he died with his face to the foe. Mr. Harvey was not old, as years go. He seemed to have much yet to do, but for me, I am convinced that none go until their work is done, though we who know so little, think it far from being so.

"He once pictured himself in the 'Black and Red' as the old Warden, white haired, worn out, living in a little shack on yonder rocky height in full view of the School, so that he might see it daily and keep watch over it.

"But the dream was not to be. His work is done.

"Now the labourer's task is o'er,  
Now the battle day is passed;  
Now upon the farther shore  
Lands the voyager at last.  
Father! in Thy gracious keeping  
Leave we now Thy servant sleeping."

"I feel that I may, indeed, give you a message from him, for it is the message of his whole active life, and it is this:

"'Live a Gentleman;  
Die Game.'"

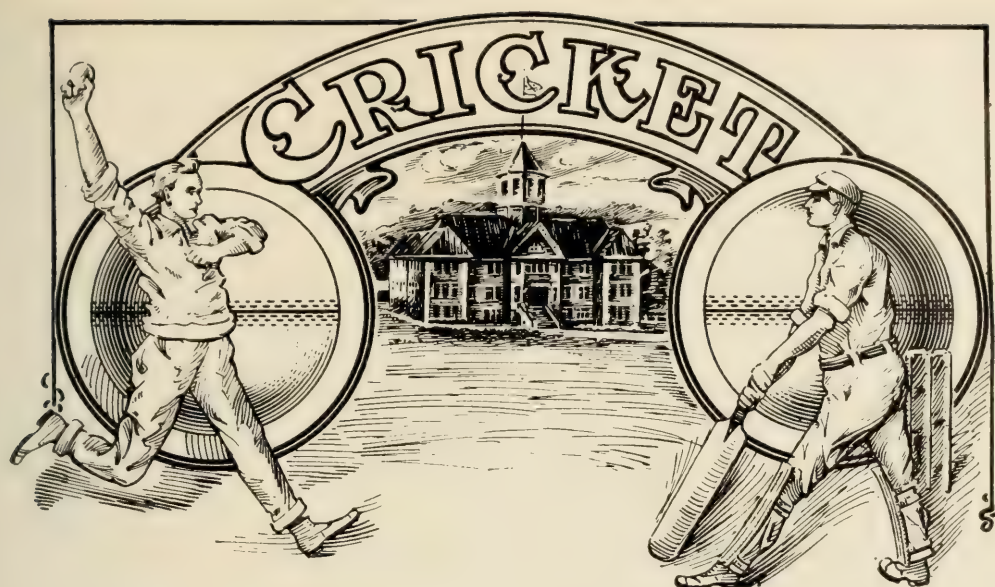
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After the office had been concluded, Mr. Dobson played the "Dead March in Saul," all standing to attention.

As a special mark of respect to Mr. Harvey, all activities of the School ceased for the space of an hour, the boys either retiring to the various reading rooms or walking upon the playing fields in small and quiet groups.

To the Choir, who took special pains to practise the hymns; to Mr. Dobson for coming amidst many town duties, and to those kind clergy of St. Luke's, Mr. Collison and Mr. Willis, for the use of the organ, we owe and herewith again offer grateful thanks.





## CRICKET NEWS.

### The School vs. The Masters.

The season opened with this annual match, which the School won by 38 runs. Cuthbert batted very soundly for his runs, while Finlayson took 5 wickets for 20. Scores:

The School		The Masters	
Finlayson, l.b.w. Tracy .....	13	Mr. Bennett, b. Finlayson ...	16
Byrn i, b. Bennett .....	5	Wheatley, b. Finlayson .....	0
de Berigny, b. Bennett .....	4	Mr. Walton, b. Van Valken-	
Kilpatrick, st. Thomas b.		burg .....	21
Tracy .....	4	Atkins, b. Finlayson .....	2
Stanley, c. Bennett b. Tracy	10	Mr. Barnacle, c. Corsan b.	
Thomas, b. Bennett .....	10	Finlayson .....	6
Corsan, c. Walton b. Tracy..	12	de Pencier ii, run out .....	1
Cuthbert, run out .....	23	Mr. Thomas, b. Finlayson ..	0
Van Valkenburg, b. Tracy ..	0	Mr. Tunncliffe, not out .....	0
Kerfoot i, not out .....	12	Mr. Tracy, b. Van Valken-	
Jackson i, b. Barnacle .....	0	burg .....	0
Extras .....	3	Extras .....	12
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### The School vs. 2nd C.M.R.

This twelve-a-side match resulted in a win for the School by 14 runs. Finlayson and Van Valkenburg bowled well, and were splendidly backed up by good fielding. Finlayson carried his bat through the innings for 28, while Cuthbert again batted well. Scores:

## 2nd C.M.R.

Coppinger, b. Van Valkenburg .....	0
Hodgkins, b. Van Valkenburg .....	6
Ibbotson, b. Finlayson .....	5
Meakin, b. Van Valkenburg .....	3
Bucknell, b. Van Valkenburg .....	5
Welch, run out .....	5
Spencer, c. Jackson, b. Finlayson .....	2
Mossley, b. Finlayson .....	0
Randolph, not out .....	20
Manning, b. Finlayson .....	13
Keith, b. Finlayson .....	3
Brooke, b. Finlayson .....	2
Extras .....	2

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## The School

Finlayson, not out .....	28
Byrn i, b. Welch .....	2
de Berigny, b. Welch .....	2
Kilpatrick, run out .....	5
Garrard, b. Welch .....	0
Cuthbert, b. Welch .....	20
Corsan, st. Spencer b. Hodgkins .....	1
Jackson i, st. Spencer b. Hodgkins .....	8
de Pencier ii, b. Coppinger ..	0
Van Valkenburg, b. Hodgkins ..	5
Wheatley, b. Hodgkins .....	0
Kerfoot, b. Coppinger .....	0
Extras .....	9

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## The School vs. Rod Hill.

Played on the School Grounds on May 12th. The visitors batted first, and were soon disposed of. Kilpatrick kept wicket very well. The School scored a century, Thomas and Byrn i batting well. Scores:

### Rod Hill

Wright, run out .....	21
Erinshaw, c. Van Valkenburg ..	4
Denby, b. Van Valkenburg ..	0
Edwards, c. Van Valkenburg ..	1
Cox, b. Finlayson .....	15
Summer, c. Shore b. Kingham ..	12
Craddock, b. Finlayson .....	0
Regan, b. Finlayson .....	0
Impey, not out .....	2
Hedges, st. Kilpatrick b. Finlayson .....	1

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### The School

Finlayson, l.b.w. b. Cox .....	16
Kilpatrick, c. Summer b. Cox ..	6
Garrard, b. Cox .....	0
Thomas, c. Summer b. Cox ..	18
Byrn i, not out .....	20
Corsan, b. Summer .....	8
Cuthbert, c. Wright b. Summer .....	0
Van Valkenburg, c. Summer ..	3
Jackson i, c. Summer b. Erinshaw .....	1
Shore, c. Erinshaw b. Denby ..	5
Extras .....	12

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## School vs. 2nd C.M.R. (Return Match).

The Military brought up a much stronger side for this return fixture, and thanks to a good innings by Sergt. Meakin, they were victorious. Kilpatrick behind the wicket was very good, while the fielding generally was sound. Scores:



## 2nd C.M.R.

## The School

Coppinger, b. Van Valkenburg	1	Finlayson, b. Welch	17
Hodgkins, b. Finlayson	5	Byrn i, c. Welch b. Coppinger	1
Edwards, c. Corsan b. Finlayson	4	McVittie, b. Coppinger	0
Meakin, not out	59	Thomas, b. Welch	5
Foster, c. Shore b. Van Valkenburg	4	Kilpatrick, c. Edwards b. Coppinger	2
Evans, b. Finlayson	13	Corsan, b. Coppinger	2
Payne, b. Thomas	0	Van Valkenburg, b. Welch	1
Rant, b. Thomas	6	Cuthbert, b. Welch	0
McGuire, c. Corsan b. Thomas	0	Stanley, not out	8
Moreley, b. Thomas	5	Shore, c. McGuire b. Coppinger	1
Welch, b. Shore	8	Kingham, b. Coppinger	0
Extras	1	Extras	8
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## The School vs. Rod Hill. (Return Match).

This return match ended in an easy victory for the School. Thomas bowled well, and was well supported in the field. Kilpatrick played a capital innings, and got to the half-century. Scores:

### Rod Hill

### The School

Edwards, c. Cuthbert b. Finlayson	14	Finlayson, c. Cox b. Moulding	5
Moulding, b. Finlayson	9	Byrn i, l.b.w. b. Cox	1
Wright, b. Thomas	15	Jackson i, run out	3
C. Cox, b. Thomas	1	Thomas, b. Cox	2
Regan, c. and b. Thomas	0	Kilpatrick, l.b.w. b. Cox	50
P. Cox, c. Thomas b. Finlayson	1	de Berigny, c. Cox b. Moulding	2
Impey, b. Thomas	3	Corsan, b. Moulding	0
Ray, run out	3	Stanley, b. Cox	10
Hedges, c. Shore b. Thomas	2	Van Valkenburg, not out	13
Frith, not out	1	Cuthbert, b. Cox	0
Hunter, c. Shore b. Finlayson	0	Shore, b. Wright	2
Extras	5	Extras	6
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## THE SCHOOL SPORTS.

The Sports were held on Friday, May 21st, in ideal weather.

Owing to the war the proceedings were of a quiet nature. No invitations were sent out, and therefore the spectators consisted of interested parents.

The events were keenly contested, and some excellent results were obtained.

In the 100 yards, open, Mackenzie equalled the School Record of 10 2-5".

In the broad jump, open, Kilpatrick created a School Record by jumping 20' 6¾".

In the 220 yards, under 16, Byrn i equalled the School Record, 26 2-5"; and in the 220 yards, under 15, Helmcken ii created a School Record. His time was 27 2-5".

The Senior Championship was won by Kilpatrick, and the Junior Championship was won by Heggie i.

The House Cup, for the highest total of points, was again won by the West House.

At the conclusion of the events, Rev. W. W. Bolton made a short speech welcoming the visitors. He said he could not help remarking that so many of last year's officials were absent at the war, and regretted that some had fallen. However, he was sure that the pluck and spirit of our men was the result of events such as we had witnessed that afternoon, and that the boys who had fought so hard to win the competitions of the day, would, if ever they were wanted, be as fit and as ready as the School's good "Old Boys" were to-day.

Mrs. Barnacle then presented the prizes.

Following is a list of the results:

#### Events.

Quarter Mile, under 16: 1st, George; 2nd, Appleton; 3rd, Sizer. Time, 68". (Record, 61", by Hart in 1913.)

100 Yards, open: 1st, Mackenzie; 2nd, Thomas; 3rd, Innes. Time, 10 2-5"; equals the School Record. (Record, 10 2-5", by Wyld in 1912.)

100 Yards, under 12: 1st, Wenman; 2nd, Heggie iii; 3rd, Bull. Time, 13 2-5". (Record, 13", by McDougal in 1912.)

100 Yards, under 11: 1st, Pickard; 2nd, Heggie iii; 3rd, Floyd. Time 14". (No previous record.)

Half Mile, open: 1st, Kilpatrick; 2nd, de Pencier i; 3rd, Beasley. Time, 2' 25". (Record, 2' 21", by Brown in 1908.)

220 Yards, under 16: 1st, Byrn i; 2nd, Atkins; 3rd, Burton. Time, 26 2-5"; equals Record. (Record, 26 2-5", by Wyld in 1910.)

Quarter Mile, under 14: 1st, Alexander; 2nd, Fraser; 3rd, Heggie i. Time 77 4-5". (Record, 67 2-5", by Hedley in 1914.)

220 Yards, open: 1st, Mackenzie; 2nd, Innes; 3rd, Nichol. Time, 25 4-5". (Record, 24 4-5", by Wyld in 1912.)

220 Yards, under 15: 1st Helmcken ii; 2nd, de Pencier ii; 3rd, Sizer. Time 27 2-5". A School Record. (Record, 29 4-5", by Burton in 1914.)



100 Yards, under 13: 1st, Pickard i; 2nd, Heggie ii; 3rd, Heggie iii. Time 14". No previous record.

### Extra.

Blindfold Squad Drill: 1st, Squad No. 2 (McVittie).

Tortoise Bicycle Race: 1st, Wheatley.

Blindfold Barrel Race: 1st, Nichol.

### Events.

Quarter Mile, open: 1st, Kilpatrick; 2nd, Van Valkenburg; 3rd, Kingham. Time, 71 2-5". (Record, 58 2-5", by Wyld in 1912.)

220 Yards, under 14: 1st, Heggie i; 2nd, Alexander; 3rd, Lennie ii. Time, 30 3-5". (Record, 30", by C. Winch in 1909.)

100 Yards, under 16: 1st, Byrn i; 2nd, Helmcken ii; 3rd, Atkins. Time, 11". (Record, 10 3-5", by Wyld in 1910.)

100 Yards, under 14: 1st, Heggie i; 2nd, Lennie ii; 3rd, Blackmur. Time, 12 3-5". (Record, 12 1-5", by Hedley in 1912.)

One Mile, open: 1st, Beasley; 2nd, George; 3rd, Thurburn. Time, 5' 54 3-5". (Record, 5' 13", by McAnally in 1911.)

100 Yards, under 15: 1st, Helmcken ii; 2nd, de Pencier ii; 3rd, Sizer. Time, 11 2-5". No previous record.

150 Yards, under 14: 1st, Blackmur; 2nd, Fraser; 3rd, Heggie ii. Time 22". No previous record.

Relay—East vs. West: 1st, West House. Time 1' 57".

Tug-of-War—East vs. West: 1st, East House.

High Jump, open: 1st, Kilpatrick; 2nd, Jackson; 3rd, de Pencier i. Height, 5' 2". (Record, 5' 3¾", by Kilpatrick in 1914.)

Broad Jump, open: 1st Kilpatrick; 2nd, de Pencier i; 3rd, Finlayson. Distance, 20' 6¾". Now School Record; previous best, 19' 3½", by Kilpatrick in 1914.

High Jump, under 16: 1st, McVittie; 2nd, McDougal; 3rd, Kerfoot i. Height, 4' 8¼". (Record, 5', by H. Winch in 1914.)

Broad Jump, under 16: 1st, McVittie; 2nd, Atkins; 3rd, Burton. Distance, 16' 2". (Record, 17' 10", by Hart in 1913.)

High Jump, under 14: 1st, Heggie i; 2nd, Lennie ii; 3rd, Pickard i. Height, 4' 1½". (Record, 4' 4¾", by McVittie in 1914.)

Broad Jump, under 14: 1st, Heggie i; 2nd, Lennie ii; 3rd, Fraser. Distance, 15' 2½". (Record, 16' 5", by Hedley in 1914.)

High Jump, under 15: 1st, Holms; 2nd, Belson; 3rd, Andros. Height, 4' 3½". No previous record.

Broad Jump, under 15: 1st, Helmcken ii; 2nd, de Pencier ii; 3rd, Gordon. Distance 16' 7 5-8". No previous record.

Throwing the Cricket Ball: 1st, Traeger; 2nd, Finlayson; 3rd, Van Valkenburg. Distance 92 1-3 yards. (Record, 106 yards, by McGuigan in 1910.)

The following acted as officials:

Starter—V. R. Bennett, Esq.

Timekeeper—T. J. Thomas, Esq.

Judges—Rev. W. W. Bolton, Rev. E. M. Willis, A. G. Tracy, Esq.; E. A. Tunnicliffe, Esq.

Clerk of the Course—J. C. Barnacle, Esq.

Stewards—Kilpatrick, Stanley, Van Valkenburg, de Pencier i, Balcolm, and de Berigny.

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### THE GYMNASTIC COMPETITION.

This event took place on Monday, March 29th. Petty Officer Ingledew, an instructor in town, took charge and awarded the marks; Mr. Bennett kindly assisted.

The boys did some very good work. Special praise is due to Kilpatrick and Atkins for the excellence of their performance. The "Croft" Cup was won by Kilpatrick, with Atkins second.

The following won their places on the "Gym" VIII. for 1915:

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| 1. Kilpatrick (West).   | 6. Calder (East).    |
| 2. Atkins (West).       | 7. Kerfoot (East).   |
| 3. de Pencier i (East). | 8. Henderson (East). |
| { 4. Nichol (East).     |                      |
| { 4. Brouse (East).     |                      |

An effective pyramid, arranged by Mr. Bennett, concluded an excellent competition.

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### OLD BOYS' COLUMN.

**D. Inverarity** paid us a short visit previous to his departure for the Old Country. He has resigned from the N.W. Mounted Police in order to do his "bit" for the Empire. He has obtained a commission in the Royal Field Artillery.

**J. G. Tatlow**, of Strathcona's Horse, stayed a couple of days in May. He left us for the concentration camp at Sewell, Man. He expects they will soon leave for the front.

**Robin Watt** has just been made a prefect at Brighton College. He wears a gown, and will have to read the lessons



in Chapel. He is also Captain of the "Gym" VIII. We print a good story which he sent us in a recent letter.

**Stephen Dawson** stayed with us a few days during the Easter holidays. He is taking the Engineering Course at Washington University, Seattle.

**Dick Winch** (1908) and Mrs. Dick Winch called for a few moments last month when in Victoria.

**A. G. Woodward** came up to the School, after doing his first year at McGill (Montreal), where he is taking the Medicine Course.

**M. Wallich** called at the School just previous to leaving for England, where he hopes to get a commission and enter the Army permanently. We have since heard from him. He is training with the "Inns of Court."

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### ROLL OF HONOUR.

The Warden, Captain R. V. Harvey, 7th Battn. Died of wounds.

#### Old Masters.

C. H. Collisson, 88th Fusiliers. Died of wounds.

A. J. Hudson, 50th Highlanders. Missing.

Lieut. T. G. Thomas, 50th Highlanders (30th Battn.)

Lieut. F. H. B. Champain, London Rifle Brigade.

#### Old Boys.

Lieut. H. C. V. Macdowell, 1908, 88th Fusiliers (7th Battn.) Prisoner.

Pte. W. J. Bowser, 1906-1909, 6th Regiment (7th Battn.) Killed in action.

Lieut. A. B. Irving, 1906-1908, 50th Highlanders and Royal Can. Dragoons.

Lieut. R. H. B. Ker, 1906-1908, 50th Highlanders (48th Battn.)

Lieut. G. E. Miller, 1906-1907, Oxford and Bucks Regiment (7th Serv. Battn.)

C. Spencer, 1906-1911, 2nd C.M.R.

Lieut. J. E. Walker, 1906-1911, 29th Battn.

Lieut. R. F. Winch, 1906-1908, A.S.C.

A. Collisson, 1906-1908, 88th Vict. Fusiliers (30th Battn.)

B. Scott, 1906, 2nd C.M.R.

Lieut. S. Gillespie, 1906-1907.

Lieut. W. J. Pearse, 1907-1908, King Edward's Horse.

Lieut. R. Bell-Irving, 1907-1909, Royal Engineers.

Lieut. K. Corsan, 1907-1909.

Lieut. J. G. Tatlow, 1907-1913, Strathcona's Horse.

Lieut. C. V. Winch, 1907-1912, A.S.C.  
 Lieut. G. S. Burns, 1907-1914, 50th Highlanders.  
 Lieut. D. Inverarity, 1907-1913, Royal Field Artillery.  
 R. Whittome, 1908-1912, Mechanical Transport.  
 A. D. Bell-Irving, 1908-1911, 72nd Highlanders (16th  
 Battn.)  
 Lieut. M. Bell-Irving, 1908-1909, Royal Flying Corps.  
 Lieut. L. B. Potts, 1908-1911, 88th Fusiliers (New Army).  
 Lieut. J. E. Mathews, 1908-1910, 30th Battn.  
 T. Corsan, 1908-1909, 88th Fusiliers (30th Battn.)  
 Wounded.  
 Lieut. G. E. Ambery, 1908-1910.  
 Lieut. E. A. Rand, 1908-1912, 29th Battn.  
 K. C. Shaw, 1908-1911, 88th Fusiliers.  
 K. Creery, 1909-1912, 72nd Highlanders (16th Battn.)  
 Lieut. R. Crawford, 1909-1912, Royal Field Artillery.  
 W. T. Taylor, 1909-1911, 5th Regiment.  
 Lieut. R. Beech, 1910-1912, H.M.S. Berwick.  
 N. S. York, 1910-1912, 72nd Highlanders (16th Battn.)  
 Lieut. P. R. M. Wallis, 1910-1913, 50th Highlanders (16th  
 Battn.)  
 Lieut. D. F. Scott, 1910-1912, 88th Fusiliers (48th Battn.)  
 Lieut. E. D. Ashcroft, 1910-1912, Royal Engineers.  
 Lieut. K. Bovill, 1910, 5th Regiment.  
 A. Stirling, 1911-1912.  
 I. Halley, 1911-1913, 88th Fusiliers.  
 V. G. Tupper, 1911-1912, 72nd Highlanders (16th Battn.)  
 W. Fisher, 1911-1913, 50th Highlanders.  
 Lieut. E. D. Townesend, 1912-1913, Royal Field Artillery.  
 Lieut. M. Bright, 1912-1913, Royal Engineers.  
 H. W. Dobbie, 1912-1914, 50th Highlanders (48th Battn.)  
 E. Frampton, 1912-1914, 2nd C.M.R.  
 Lieut. M. Wallich, 1913-1914, Queen's (West Surrey).  
 C. Johns, 1913-1914, 50th Highlanders (30th Battn.)  
 Lieut. C. C. Montgomery, 1914, 50th Highlanders.  
 D. H. Mackay, 1909-1910, 6th Regiment.  
 A. W. Taylor, 1913, 50th Highlanders (7th Battn.)  
 D. B. Merry, 1911, 7th Battn.  
 Lieut. Rod. Bell-Irving, 1908, 16th Battn.  
 R. Caldwell, 1911-1914, 50th Highlanders (30th Battn.)  
 A. McAnally, 1909-1911, 50th Highlanders (30th Battn.)  
 H. F. Price, 1907-1909, McGill Medical.  
 W. F. Smith. Died of wounds.  
 S. D. Featherstone, 1912, 6th Regiment, Vancouver (8th  
 Battn.)  
 A. G. Bolton, 1906, C. Field Ambulance.  
 B. Worsfold, 1907-1910, 16th Battn. Killed in action.



## ROLL OF HONOUR.

### O.Q.S. Boys.

Lieut. R. Buscombe, 6th Regiment.

Lieut. R. Tupper, 72nd Highlanders (16th Battn).

Wounded.

Lieut. D. P. Bell-Irving, C.E. Killed in action.

S. Evans, Can. Ex. Force (Artillery).

B. Sawers, Can. Ex. Force (Engineers).

Lieut. H. Bostock, Strathcona's Horse.

O. Sawers, 10th Battn.

Lieut. Max. Reid, 16th Battn.

Lieut. K. Taylor, 29th Battn.

Lieut. T. Taylor, 29th Battn.

H. Owen, C.A.M.C. (3rd Field Ambulance).

Lieut. A. E. Jukes, 47th Battn.

Lieut. E. White, Royal Artillery.

Lieut. H. L. Roberts, Royal Artillery.

Lieut. A. St. G. Hamersley, Shropshire L.I.

Lieut. H. C. V. Macdowell, 88th Fusiliers. Prisoner.

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## NOTES FROM THE BUTTS.

### Miniature Range.

The series of C.R.L. matches, referred to in our last issue, was continued on March 15th and completed on Monday, April 26th, so that a resume of our achievements would not be amiss.

Throughout the competition there was displayed a keenness which resulted in very praiseworthy performances. We reached the climax of our success in the third match of the series, when the excellent average of 98.09 out of 100 was made. On that occasion Kilpatrick made a double five-shot possible, while no less than six others, viz., Atkins, Kerfoot i, Appleton, Hodson, de Pencier i, and Traeger.

The figures speak for themselves:

Kilpatrick .....	100	de Berigny .....	97
Atkins .....	99	de Pencier i .....	97
Appleton .....	99	Thomas .....	97
Hodson .....	99	Traeger .....	97
Creery .....	98		—
Challoner .....	98	Total .....	1079
Kerfoot i .....	98		

Average, 98.09.

In the last match of the series, although we did not quite maintain the very high average of the previous match, we achieved a splendid result, attaining the excellent total of 1073.

which gives an average of 97.45. In this again, two boys, viz., Kilpatrick and McGregor, made double five-shot possibles, while five others made single five-shot possibles. The latter were: Copithorne, Garrard, Appleton, Brouse and de Pencier i.

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A brief summary of the four matches in the competition would read thus:

1st Match....	January 20th...	Total 1,056...	Average 96.
2nd Match....	February 10th...	Total 1,042...	Average 94.7.
3rd Match....	March 15th...	Total 1,079...	Average 98.09.
4th Match....	April 26th...	Total 1,072...	Average 97.45.

We have thus, in the whole C.R.L. series, a final average of 96.56, which may be hard to beat.

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### Imperial Challenge Shield.

For this competition, which has to be fired between April 1st and June 30th, we held our first practice on Saturday morning, June 5th. Two targets were used, the half inch "bull" and the small figure target. Some very good shooting was again witnessed, Thomas, Treager, Kerfoot i and Kingham registering, out of a possible 50, scores of 46, 44, 43 and 43 respectively, while the final average for the team was 42.

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During this term we generally have, also, the open range competitions to think about, but the abnormal conditions due to the great European conflict have not only caused most of the open range competitions to be temporarily discontinued, but have naturally interfered with our usual routine of shooting at Clover Point. Ammunition, also, is very scarce, so that, like all other teams, we have to economize very carefully, so much so that not more than twelve are able to attend the practices each Saturday morning. The use of the range, too, has naturally been very restricted, but Lieut. S. Williams, whose valuable aid we very much appreciate, has secured the placing of some targets at our disposal almost each week.

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Regular practices for the C.R.L. Competition began on April 24th, and the best results have been those of Nichol, Brouse and Garrard, who compiled 67, 64 and 64 respectively, out of a possible 70.

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A telegram has been received from the Secretary of the Canadian Rifle League to the effect that all the C.R.L. matches on outside ranges have been cancelled for the year. It is very regrettable, but remembering the ranges are required for the Overseas' contingents, and also that they require all their ammunition, we think that the right thing has been done.





# MATTERS MILITARY

The Corps at the beginning of the term numbered 68, one less than last term.

There were two discharges, while one recruit has been added to the strength.

Since the beginning of the term, we regret the loss of several others, which considerably weakens the Corps.

Half-Company Leader Stanley and Signaller Hodson, after passing the R.M.C. Entrance Exam., have now left us and resign their positions.

Sergt. Challoner has not returned to us after his illness.

Sergt. Calder has been discharged on leaving the School, while Corporals Balcom and Tolmie are prevented from attending parades owing to their thirst for knowledge.

Our numbers are thus reduced to 62, rank and file.

The following promotions have been made this term:

Sergt. Cuthbert to be half-company leader vice C. D. Stanley, retired.

Corporal Brouse to be Sergeant, to command No. 1 Sec. vice Sergt. Challoner, absent on sick leave.

Corporal-Bugler Corsan to be Sergeant vice Sergt. Cuthbert, promoted.

Band-Corpl. Nichol to be Band-Sergeant vice Band-Sergt. Creery, retired.

Corporal-Drummer Thomas to be Sergt.-Drummer.

Privates Burton and Appleton to be Corporals.

Bugler de Pencier to be Lance-Corporal.

Drummer Lennie to be Lance-Corporal.

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During the month of May we were pleasantly surprised by the arrival from headquarters of 50 rifles, a number amply sufficient for our present needs.

During October the rifles were all recalled, as they were needed for training purposes of the Overseas' contingent, and their return to us was as pleasing as it was unexpected.

The date of the Annual Inspection is drawing near.

It is to be hoped that we shall give as good an account of ourselves in the competition for the Daughters of the Empire Cup as we did last year, when we won the trophy.

This Cup is presented by the Daughters of the Empire for the most efficient Cadet Corps in B.C., and is awarded by marks obtained by the various units at the annual inspection. Let us hope that June 24th will allow us to keep this honour which we won last year.

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## THE WAR.

With an instinctive realization of the issue at stake, Canada's Government expressed the sentiments of her people when it voluntarily offered the services of Canadian troops to the Imperial authorities. This offer was gratefully accepted, and men left their peaceful haunts to share in the Empire's conflict.

With little display, but hurried movements, they took their early departure. Conscious they must have been of our faith in their courage and loyalty. Devoid of brag and bluster, like all brave men, their only fear was that the hour of trial might find them unequal to the occasion.

In the West Flanders plain, near the ruins of the old city of Ypres, in the second battle of that name, they have exceeded all expectations. With their flank in air, utterly lacking support, disdaining to recognize defeat, defying all traditions and text-book rules, they have, in the words of General French, "Saved the situation."

The guns lost through the enemy's barbaric device of using asphyxiating gas were regained by valour unparalleled. Little wonder that the Dominion's heroes were cheered to the echo by a British regiment of reserves brought up to relieve the pressure. Less wonder that Canada's people feel a glowing pride in such military prowess. Least wonder that the fame of such heroic valour will add lustre to the Dominion's name till the last page of her history is recorded.

The price paid for this valorous record must always stir our deeper emotions. We can but believe and pray that these shall not have fallen in vain. On another page of this issue will be found our School's "Roll of Honour."

This war, which was engineered by a Power which worship power for power's sake, challenged the might of Britain, who believes in power for the sake of conserving peace and promoting true human progress.

The course of events has by no means weakened our certainty of success. The seven seas are still accessible to us.



We maintain the conflict with all due regard to civilization's highest claims. The British Navy still holds the enemy apart. Time is still enabling us to push forward the necessary preparations for the final overthrow of military autocracy. While the enemy has always maintained that his people can achieve nothing without the domination of strong personalities, we still maintain that the Empire whose unity is founded on true democratic principles must and will prevail.

Reviewing briefly the chief events, we recall the failures: (1) To reach Paris; (2) to reach Warsaw; (3) first Battle of Ypres; (4) Neuve Chapelle; (5) second Battle of Ypres.

Also, we must add the failure of the so-called submarine blockade and the sinking of the *Lusitania*. The latter act was the crowning villany of a nation debauched by the military spirit and despoiled of success from the moment she ignored the neutrality of Belgium. To it, as also to the diabolical practice of asphyxiation, we will only add Shakespeare's words:

"Oh, the offence is rank, it smells to heaven!"

E. A. TUNNICLIFFE.

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#### EXTRACT FROM LETTER OF MAY 1st-2nd, BELGIUM, FROM K. A. CREERY.

"I've had no time until now to write and now don't know how long I will have, as I am now attached to the Brigade, and am the only M.C. here.

"The fracas started about 4:30 p.m. on April 22nd. About this time the French line broke. The 16th were in rest billets and about 5:30 we in the orderly room got the order 'To arms,' and in a short time the battalion was away with the Colonel, the Adjutant, etc. Minchin and I had to stay in the orderly room until ordered to evacuate, but the shelling was so heavy that I was sent to ask permission to move. I had to ride into the shell fire, but was untouched. I made Headquarters, but had to leave my machine, as there was one lone gun, our only support, in the road firing desperately. The men stripped to the waist; Oh! how they worked, and as cool as cucumbers. The fields were swept by a hail of lead, but I was not hit. The wires were all down and the Brigade kept me for despatch work; it was certainly tight, and the gases made your eyes smart and sting like fury. We stuck to it, though, and the good old Canadians forced them back. The 16th charged and cleared the wood, with the 10th as reinforcement. They swept everything, but there were no supports on the left, and they could not hold the position. The casualties seemed enormous, and we worked like fury dressing wounds and

loading the ambulances. I helped while I wasn't riding. The next day it got tighter again, and after that I don't remember what happened on the different days and nights. We got no sleep for five days and nights, and had clothes on until the night of the 28th.

"Things are a bit quieter now, but we are still in the trenches and have had no time for rest. Last night I finished work by 9 p.m., so got a good sleep.

"I had many miraculous escapes, as did everybody, and managed to keep my machine in running order all through, though everyone else either got new machines or stayed out of it. Once I and the machine were blown off the road over a ditch into a field. I felt funny for a while, but on finding the machine intact I rode across a ploughed field and lifted the brute over a huge ditch—how I don't know—and reached my destination safely. The front forks were all bent and the wheel rubbing on one side, but she moved all right. During the night I ran into a new shell hole and snapped my back springs. These I patched with wire and the next day, finding a machine on the roadside, I made a complete change of the damaged parts. This only took me about three-quarters of an hour, and now the old boat is running beautifully considering. Another time I got a bullet through the front wheel, which required extensive patching, and since then I have had two punctures in the back wheel, so you will see it was pretty exciting."





